

## SUGGEST NEW LOCATION FOR JACKSON MONUMENT

Westview Land Company Offers Sixteen-Acre Tract on Monument Avenue Extended.

### MATTER UP TO SUBCOMMITTEE

Proposed New Site Is Located at Libby Avenue, One Mile From Present Corporate Limits—Two Other Sites Considered.

After hearing from George Cole Scott and Jonathan Bryan, of the Westview Land Company, who asked that the committee withhold action for the present on the petition asking that a site for the proposed Stonewall Jackson Monument be dedicated at the Boulevard and Monument Avenue, the Council Committee on Streets yesterday afternoon referred the matter for report to a subcommittee composed of Councilman English, chairman; Councilman Butler, and Aldermen Nelson and Puller.

On the docket of the committee was a petition from the "Stonewall" Jackson Monument Corporation, signed by a committee from that organization composed of Rev. James Power Smith, D. D., Judge George L. Christian and Judge D. C. Richardson, asking that the Monument Avenue and Boulevard be recommended for extension.

### PROPOSES TO DEDICATE SIXTEEN-ACRE PARK

The Westview Land Company, through Mr. Scott and Mr. Bryan, submitted to the committee a rival offer, proposing to dedicate sixteen acres of land on the line of Monument Avenue extended, as a park in which to place the monument. The tract, the committee was informed, is situated at Monument and Libby Avenues, and is about one mile west of the new corporate limits.

The committee was reminded that, while this site appeared to be quite distant, as compared with other suggested locations, the placing of the proposed Jackson monument on this tract would not be an unusual proceeding. Lee monument, it was pointed out, was located at the present site when the surrounding territory was comparatively undeveloped. The rapid expansion of the city westward, the committee was told, will shortly result in the complete development of the territory intervening between the present city limits and the proposed site for the location of the Jackson Monument.

An informal discussion of the monument site question brought out the objection that Monument Avenue is at present cut off from its extension west of the old corporation line by the Forbes and Patterson estates and the Belt Line Railroad. While the belief was expressed that both Patterson and Forbes will ultimately consent to a projection of the avenue through their properties, it was clear that the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac and Atlantic Coast Line Railroads will strenuously oppose any crossing of the Belt Line tracks at grade. The plan to bridge the tracks has met with equally strenuous opposition from adjacent property owners.

### WILL OFFER RESOLUTION TO EXTEND AVENUE

Alderman Puller will to-night offer in the Board of Aldermen a resolution directing the opening of Monument Avenue through to the new corporate limits. Its western terminus at present is the Rosemeath Road. The opening of the avenue and its connection with the suburban section of the avenue that has for some time been dedicated and opened, will offer a direct route to the suggested monument site at Libby Avenue.

Besides the recommended site at the Boulevard, the authorities of the "Stonewall" Jackson Monument Corporation have given consideration to plan providing for the location of the monument at Monument Avenue and Rosemeath Road. The chief objection to this site was that immediately west of it is the Belt Line tracks, which it appears, will some time in the future have to be bridged. A bridge over the tracks would occupy a high point in relation to the surrounding territory and cut off the view of the monument from the west, unless the tracks are materially lowered.

### GIRLS APPEAL TO POLICE

Say They Were Defrauded Out of Their Wages by Employer.

Four girls, each seventeen years old, walked into the Third Police Station yesterday afternoon and unfolded to the desk sergeant a tale of how they had been swindled out of their wages by an alleged dishonest fireworks dealer.

The man who told us his name was Davis, owes us \$3 each for working in his plant last week," they said. "We manufactured what he called 'devil chasers,' a kind of torpedo which would explode when struck. On going to work this morning we found the shop deserted and a few tools lying on the floor.

The girls gave their names as Misses Annette Martin, 218 East Tenth Street; Callie Robinson, 14 East Ninth Street; Isabelle Robinson, 291 Maury Street; Mami Wright, 116 East Ninth Street.

### Woman and Child Run Down.

Mrs. J. W. Smith and her seven-year-old daughter, Helen, of Staunton, Va., were run down by a team before 311 East Broad Street yesterday afternoon and received slight injuries. The child is said to have been bruised and cut about the head and one of Mrs. Smith's ankles was badly wrenched. Ambulance Surgeon Stern treated them and took them to the home of W. F. Farmer, of Fulton Hill, where they are stopping while in the city. The team is said to have been driven by William Giles, colored, of 125 Chamberlain Street. No arrests were made in the case, as it is said that the accident was unavoidable.

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## Dr Brady's Health Talk MOLLYCODDLING THE RECESS.

Copyright, 1914, by Julian Russell. When you and I went to school our morning and afternoon recess were sacredly inviolate institutions. No principal or teacher dared lay his or her profane hand on the five minutes arising. And we're not telling tales out of school when we hint that, after all, we didn't have much trouble from addled and tumbled—because we used our recess to good advantage.

The world moves. Sometimes we fear it is moving and then for a long direction. Recess is getting to be sort of a nuisance. There are teachers and school principals who, we regret to say, are aging so rapidly that they have already forgotten their own childhood days. They think recess should be eliminated, or at least made dependent on nice, mollycoddle weather. There are public schools, we are ashamed to say, where a storm of rain or a low thermometer is deemed ample reason for dispensing with the regular recess. In these schools it is often deemed a punishable offense for a child to grow restless and for a drink of water at an inconvenient moment. The teacher isn't thirsty—why should the child be thirsty?

When a school authority takes the position that recess is only a nuisance, it is high time that that authority be suppressed and sent to the home for the aged. He is no longer a fit person to influence the growing youth.

Nose in book, back bent, brow screwed up, and nerves at the breaking point, isn't this the way for a child to stand up some recite some fool numbers or words from memory, knowing all the time that he has been cheated out of his birthright and forced to follow some old hussy's mollycoddle ways? A teacher or principal who would rob the school children of the morning and afternoon recess should be thoroughly investigated. The chances are the investigation would show an evil tendency of early degeneration, some proof that the mind is crumbling and the enthusiasm dying out. His place should be filled by a twentieth century pedagogic.

### Questions and Answers.

Walk It Off—Is there an easy way for a man to reduce a fairly proud corporation? The man is thirty-nine, and has acquired it in the past three years. He is a jeweler by trade.

Reply.—Look up a small mountain and go into training as a mountain climber—not too suddenly, but just a little farther each day. Do your stint each day without fail, weather or no weather, and in six weeks you will be tickled to death with your appearance. If this is an impossible prescription, write again, and we will explain how you can take the exercise at home after supper.

Pellagra Diet—Is the cause of pellagra known? Is there any remedy to cure it? What diet is advisable for the patient?

Reply.—The cause is as yet unknown. No remedy has been discovered. The investigations of experts in the United States Public Health Service seem to show that a diet rich in legumes—peas, beans and lentils, dried and fresh—is preventive as well as remedial. Pea soup and bean soup are both helpful.

Room Temperature—What is the proper temperature for a sickroom? Are flowers in a sickroom hygienic?

Reply.—The temperature should be determined by individual conditions. For certain cases 70 degrees would be right; for other cases, 40 degrees would be better. Potted, growing flowers tend to purify the air. Cut flowers do not affect the air.

Old-Timer—Is it necessary to have children's primary teeth filled when they decay?

Reply.—More so than it is for adults.

That Mysterious Oil—Will you please tell me whether "Russian Oil" or "Russo Oil" is harmless to take for constipation? What is this oil?

Reply.—It is one of the scores of names for purified petroleum oil. There is little difference between the various brands. The correct name is liquid petroleum. Other common names are paraffin oil, aboline, liquid vaseline, etc. It is harmless; indeed, preferable to most laxatives.

Horse Steak—Can you inform me whether horse meat is wholesome to eat? Would you eat it in case of necessity?

Reply.—It is, on the whole, more wholesome than beef, and is much used for food in Europe. Perhaps we would try it in a pinch, but it would seem like dining on an old friend.



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## A. RUGGLES NELSON DIES SUDDENLY AT HIS HOME

Heart Trouble, Following Severe Attack of Cholera Morbus, Causes Death.

### PROMINENT BUSINESS MAN

For Twenty-Five Years Secretary-Treasurer of Woman's College, and Connected With Other Large Concerns—Funeral To-Morrow.

Following closely on an attack of cholera morbus, A. Ruggles Nelson, forty-seven years old, was stricken with heart trouble early yesterday morning and died about 7 o'clock at his home, 411 North Tenth Street. He had been in the best of health until a few hours before his death, and attended both morning and evening church services on Sunday.

Mr. Nelson was widely known as a business man. He was president of Nelson & Ladner, Inc., of the late dealers; vice-president of the Nowlan Company, Inc., jewelers, and secretary-treasurer of the Woman's College. He served in this latter capacity for twenty-five years.

Mr. Nelson was born in Washington, and was educated at Hampden-Sydney College. He was the son of Rev. James Nelson, D. D., for many years president of the Woman's College, and is survived by both parents. About thirty years ago he moved to this city, and was associated with the late Robert E. Macomber for many years, and he made several other successful business connections.

ACTIVE IN WORK OF SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH For nearly thirty years, Mr. Nelson was a member of the Second Baptist Church, in which he was an active worker. He attended the morning services on Sunday and attended services at First Baptist Church at night. He complained of feeling ill after his last church service, and died about 7 o'clock yesterday morning. The severity of the attack affected his heart.

Besides his wife, who was Miss May Elyson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Theodore Elyson, of this city, Mr. Nelson is survived by one daughter, Miss May Ruggles Nelson; one sister, Mrs. Sparks W. Melton, of Norfolk, and one brother, W. H. Nelson, of this city, and his parents.

Funeral services will be held to-morrow at noon from the home. Interment will be private.

### ALUMNI TO FORM CLUB

Old Scholars of Madison School Will Hold Meeting Friday Afternoon.

Alumni of Madison School will meet in the school building, Madison and Cary Streets, on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for the purpose of perfecting an organization to be known as the "Come Back Club." One of the distinguished alumni will make an address, and representatives of the school will tell how the school misses the old scholars. The senior class will render a few selections, and the roll of the classes of the past will be called.

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## GINTER PARK APPROVES CITY-PLANNING EXHIBIT

Civic League Sends Resolution to Finance Committee Indorsing Pending Appropriation.

Resolutions adopted last night by the Ginter Park Civic League at a meeting held in the town hall of the suburb approve Mayor Alden's plan to bring to Richmond the city-planning exhibit of the American City Bureau. The proposition was discussed at length until it was voted to direct a communication to the Council Finance Committee indorsing for passage the resolution now pending before that committee, which appropriates \$450 for the city-planning exhibit.

The Ginter Park Civic League was organized shortly after annexation. Last night's meeting was attended by seventy-five representative citizens of the community. President Christopher H. Garrett presided.

The body discussed, among other things, the projected extension of Chamberlayne Avenue to Broad Street over a new viaduct across the valley. It was the general opinion that this approach to Ginter Park should be among the first of the big improvements that should be undertaken by the city. A committee, consisting of John Garland Pollard (chairman), H. W. Wilson and Ernest W. Farley, was appointed to consider the general approach plan and submit its recommendations at an early date.

The meeting voted a common complaint against the street car service. Most of the objection was directed against the crowded condition of the cars. Mr. Pollard (chairman), Carlton McCarthy, of the Administration Board, made a short talk, outlining the board's immediate plans for improvements in the annexed territory.

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## ELECTION IS DEADLOCKED

Signal Corps Takes Six Ballots for Lieutenant, but No Choice Is Made.

Owing to a deadlock, the election held last night by the Signal Corps for a junior first lieutenant was postponed until the second Monday night in January. Three candidates were nominated for the position, but, owing to the attendance being small, the necessary majority of the enlisted strength of the organization could not be swung to either of the nominees. The names of those placed in nomination were L. F. Leadbetter, H. P. Stargardt and First Sergeant Mosley. Six ballots were taken without a choice being made.

Concealed Weapon. Howard Morton, colored, was yesterday fined the usual \$100 and costs in the Police Court on a charge of carrying a concealed pistol on his person.

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